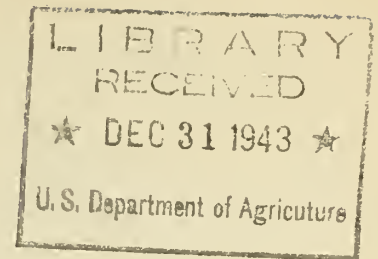


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Amendment
to
Tentative U. S. Standards
for
Classes and Grades
for
Dressed Turkeys, Dressed Chickens
and
Dressed Ducks, Geese, Guineas and Squabs



Effective immediately and until further notice the Tentative U.S. Standards for Classes and Grades for Dressed Turkeys, approved November 6, 1942, the Tentative U.S. Standards for Classes and Grades for Dressed Chickens, approved January 7, 1943, and the Tentative U.S. Standards for Grades for Dressed Ducks, Geese, Guineas and Squabs, approved January 19, 1943, and as subsequently amended, are hereby further amended as follows:

Add the definitions below for classes of dressed and eviscerated ducks, geese, guineas and squabs.

Strike out the definitions for drawn and undrawn chickens and for drawn and undrawn turkeys and substitute the following:

"DRESSED (undrawn) - Chicken (or turkey, duck, goose, guinea or squab) which has been slaughtered, bled and plucked."

"EVISCERATED - Dressed chicken (or dressed turkey, duck, goose, guinea or squab) the exterior of which has been singed, from which the head, shanks at the hock joints, crop, windpipe, esophagus, entrails, gall bladder, lungs, kidneys and oil gland have been wholly removed under the supervision of a Federal dressed poultry inspector present at all stages of evisceration, the giblets of which have been cleaned, and the carcass and the giblets of which have been subjected to an adequate cleansing process."

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